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<i>SMB</i>	4,459,020	7/10/84	May, et al.	355	132	
<i>SMB</i>	4,579,370	4/1/86	Corwin, et al.	283	72	
<i>SMB</i>	4,637,051	1/13/87	Clark	382	1	
<i>SMB</i>	4,728,984	3/1/88	Daniele	355	6	
<i>SMB</i>	4,739,377	4/19/88	Allen	355	133	
<i>SMB</i>	4,796,921	1/10/89	Neiman	283	91	
<i>SMB</i>	5,216,724	6/1/93	Suzuki, et al.	382	7	
<i>SMB</i>	5,231,663	7/27/93	Earl, et al.	380	18	
<i>SMB</i>	5,463,469	10/31/95	Funada, et al.	358	296	

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<i>SMB</i>	5,465,161	11/7/95	Funda, et al.	358	438	
<i>SMB</i>	5,321,470	6/14/94	Hasuo, et al.	355	201	
<i>SMB</i>	5,418,602	5/23/95	Nishikawa	355	201	
<i>SMB</i>	6,166,750	12/26/2000	Negishi	347	131	
<i>SMB</i>	5,457,540	10/10/95	Kajita	358	296	
<i>SMB</i>	5,426,710	6/20/95	Suzuki, et al.	382	135	
<i>SMB</i>	5,541,741	7/30/96	Suzuki	358	450	
<i>SMB</i>	5,363,454	11/8/94	Udagawa, et al.	382	17	
<i>SMB</i>	5,668,881	9/16/97	Kurita, et al.	380	51	

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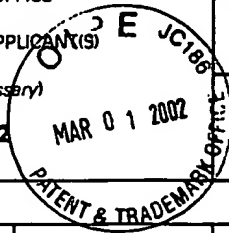
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<i>SMB</i>	5,311,336	5/10/94	Kurita, et al.	358	80	
<i>SMB</i>	5,621,503	4/15/97	Komaki, et al.	399	366	
<i>SMB</i>	5,446,715	8/29/95	Satomura	369	49	
<i>SMB</i>	5,424,807	6/13/95	Ohmura	355	201	
<i>SMB</i>	6,346,989	2/12/2002	Funada, et al.	358	1.14	1/2/97
<i>SMB</i>	5,436,469	10/31/95	Funada, et al.	358	296	
<i>SMB</i>	5,847,849	12/8/95	Funada, et al.	358	530	
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<i>SMB</i>	5,757,926	05/26/1998	Nagashima, et al.	380	51				
<i>SMB</i>	5,257,119	10/26/1993	Funada, et al.	358	438				
<i>SMB</i>	5,227,871	07/13/1993	Funada, et al.	358	75				
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<i>SMB</i>	60-229572	11/1985	Japan			Abstract Only			
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